

said Tobacco, and flow it away 'til the same shall be sent for to be shipped, and then deliver the same, with a Certificate certifying the same to have been old Tobacco, and proved such according to the Directions of this Act; for doing all which, the Inspectors, as by this Act enjoin'd to do, they shall receive from the Proprietor or Proprietors of such Tobacco One Shilling Current Money for each Hoghead to their own Use; and from the Person taking such Tobacco away, one Shilling for each Hoghead, for the Use of the Proprietor of the said Warehouse.

Penalty on  
Persons swearing  
falsely.

*And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid,* That if any Person or Persons shall swear or affirm falsely, of and concerning all or any Tobacco so by such Person carried to any Warehouse in Pursuance of this Act, such Person so swearing or affirming, being lawfully convict thereof, shall forfeit and suffer all the Pains and Penalties of wilful and corrupt Perjury.

No Tobacco  
to be exported  
from any o-  
ther Landings  
than what be-  
long to In-  
specting Hou-  
ses.

*And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid,* That every Master, Mate, or Boatswain of any Ship or other Vessel, who shall take on board, or cause, permit, or suffer to be taken on board his Ship, or other Vessel, therein to export the same out of this Province, and every Owner or Shipper thereof, who shall cause, permit, or suffer to be shipped off from any Key, Wharff, Landing, or other Place, than from one of the Inspecting-House Landings in this Province, contrary to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act, any Hoghead or Hogheads of Tobacco, shall for every such Hoghead forfeit and pay the Sum of Ten Pounds Current Money, one Half thereof to the Informer, or to him, her, or them that shall sue for the same, and the other Half thereof to the Use of the public School of the County where such Offence shall be committed; to be recovered in the County Court, with Costs of Suit, by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint, or Information, wherein no Essoyn, Protection, or Wager of Law shall be allowed; any Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Continuance  
of this Act.

This Act to continue until the first Day of *December*, which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty-three.

An Act continuing an Act entituled, An Act to prevent the ill Practices of Sheriffs, in the Collecting and Payment of the Public and County Levies.

An Act conti-  
nued.

**B**E it Enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That an Act entituled, *An Act to prevent the ill Practices of Sheriffs, in the Collecting and Payment of the Public and County Levies*, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of *Annapolis*, the twenty-first Day of *September*, Anno Domini One thousand seven hundred and forty-two, be, and is hereby continued to be and remain in full Force, for and during the Term of three Years, and unto the End of the next Session of Assembly which shall happen after the End of the said three Years.